

Remarks

The specification has been amended to include a reference to the priority applications.

Claims 1-6, 8-14, 16 and 18-23 are currently amended to remove reference indicia. Claims 7, 15 and 17 are original claims as per the PCT published application and the International Preliminary Examination Report.

To meet the requirements of the United States, the Abstract (as originally filed in the published PCT application) is added. Reference indicia has been removed.

No fee is believed to have been incurred by virtue of this amendment. However if a fee is incurred on the basis of this amendment, please charge such fee against deposit account 07-0832

Respectfully submitted,
Aaron Reel Bouillet



Joseph J. Opalach
Attorney for Applicant
Registration No. 36,229
609/734-6839

THOMSON Licensing Inc.
Patent Operation
PO Box 5312
Princeton, NJ 08543-5312

Date: 10/15/04